tral Government employees/KVS employee.

(xvii) Revival of the cadre of Laboratory Assistants.

(xviii) Some provision for admission of State Govt. employees' wards in Kendriya Vidyalayas of the concerned State.

Construction of Coal Siding at Belpahar in Orissa

1803. SHRI SUBAS MOHANTY : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the construction of a Coal Siding at Belpahar in Orissa has been entrusted to the Railways;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the amount paid so far to the Railways by the Coal India Ltd. and the date of such payment;

(d) the stipulated date of completion of this work;

(e) the progress made so far; and

(f) if there is any delay, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Subsequent to sanction of estimate for construction of Belpahar siding, a new project of construction of siding facilities for Samaleswari Colliery Project has come up necessitating fresh survey of the entire complex. The survey has been completed and plans and estimates are under preparation. The detailed programme of execution will be drawn up after acceptance by M/s. South Eastern Coalfield Ltd. and handing over of land by them to Railways.

(c) M/s. South Eastern Coalfield Ltd. deposited Rs. 100 lakhs on 31-3-84 and further Rs. 500 lakhs on 28-1-85. They withdraw a sum of Rs. 330 lakhs on 27-3-87 leaving a balance of Rs. 270 lakhs with the Railway.

(d) Date of completion will depend on the acceptance of survey report, estimate, handing-over of land and deposit of additional money by M/s. South Eastern Coalfield Ltd.

(e) 3 per cent.

(f) The work could not be progressed as the land for the siding which was to be acquired by South Eastern Coalfield Ltd., was not handed over to the Railway, except for a small stretch of land for construction of two bridges. The work on these bridges is in progress.

Promotional postings in Kendriya Vidyalayas

1804. DR. BAPU KALDATE : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) what are the reasons due to which Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has not yet undertaken the work of issuing promotional postings as yet whereas according to the declared policy of the Sangathan, promotions are to be effected first every year;

(b) what is the date fixed for effecting promotional postings, inter-regional and intra-regional transfers of Kendriya Vidyalaya teachers this session;

(c) whether it is a fact that AIKVTA has demanded that intra-regional tansfers, at least relating to compassionate cases, should be done along with inter-regional transfers; and

(d) if so, what is the reaction of the Sangathan thereto ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER) : (a) and (b). As per the posting/transfer policy followed by the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, posting is first offered to those promoted to the next